

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

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- **Day 1:** Critical fire weather conditions will continue across southern CA due to moderate Santa Ana winds

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# WEATHER KEY POINTS

**10/28/19 - 11/03/19**

## Monday

- Northern California's wind event is expected to taper off beginning Monday morning. Red Flag conditions will end late Monday morning.
- Across southern California, moderate offshore winds (Santa Anas) have redeveloped overnight and will continue through Monday eve
  - This will cause critical fire weather conditions and wind gusts generally 40 to 50 mph with some isolated 60 mph gusts, but is not an extreme event

## Tuesday-Thursday

- Another round of strong north winds to Northern California Tuesday and Wednesday. This combined with low humidity values will elevate fire weather conditions again in northern CA including the Bay Area.
- Across Southern CA, another moderate Santa Ana wind event is expected late Tuesday through Thursday evening.
  - **This event is expected to be stronger than the Sunday/Monday event and is forecast to be the strongest Santa Ana wind event of the year so far**
- The Bay Area also expects elevated offshore winds late Tuesday into Wednesday and possible critical fire weather conditions, but the mid-week event looks to be much less strong than Sunday's wind event in the Bay Area

## Friday-Sunday

- Winds are expected to lighten up but remain offshore and dry next Friday through the weekend



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

10/28/19 - 11/03/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Inland	Inland	Southern	Southern			
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Coastal/ Inland	Inland/ Southern	Coastal/ Southern	Southern	All	All	All
<b>Heat Risk</b>							
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Extreme Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

## PRECIPITATION FORECAST

10/28/19 - 11/02/19

No precipitation is  
expected across the state  
this week, and possibly for  
the next two weeks

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**11/02/19 - 11/10/19**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (November 2 – November 6)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation favored for Inland and Coastal Regions; equal chances of above or below normal precipitation for Southern Region

## **8-14 Day Outlook (November 4 – November 10)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures favored for Southern and Coastal Region; equal chances of above or below normal temperatures for the Inland Region

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation favored for Coastal and Inland Regions; equal chances of above or below normal precipitation for Southern Region



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